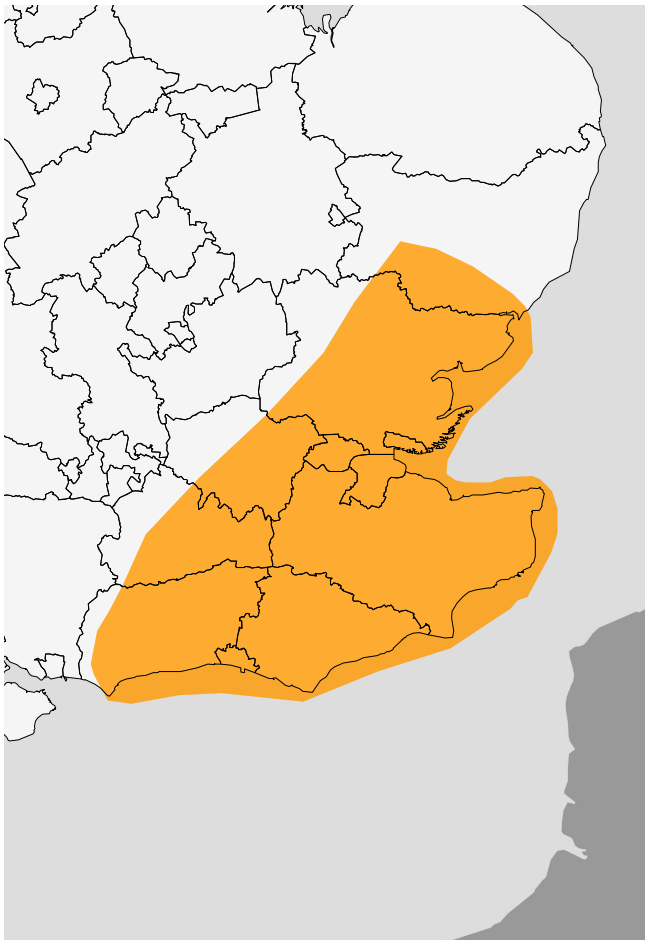
Amber warning
Thunderstorm

Between
11:00 Wed 17 Aug 2022 and
22:00 Wed 17 Aug 2022



Thunderstorms causing some flooding and disruption.

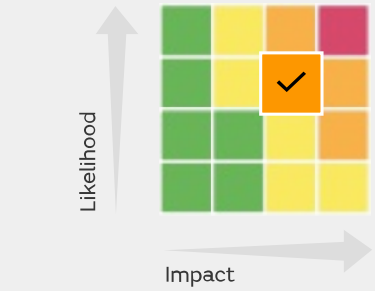
What to expect

- Flooding of homes and businesses is likely and could happen quickly, with damage to some buildings from floodwater, lightning strikes, hail or strong winds
- Fast flowing or deep floodwater is likely, causing danger to life
- Where flooding or lightning strikes occur, delays and some cancellations to train and bus services are likely
- Spray and sudden flooding probably leading to difficult driving conditions and some road closures
- Some communities likely to become cut off if roads flood
- Power cuts likely to occur and other services to some homes and businesses could be lost

Further details

Heavy showers and thunderstorms are expected to break out today leading to some flooding and disruption. Some places will miss these, but where they do occur, 30 to 50 mm of rain could fall in less than an hour and a few places may see in excess of 100 mm in a few hours where storms are slow moving. Lightning and hail will be additional hazards.

Showers and storms will slowly die out this evening.



Medium likelihood of medium impacts

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All regions & authorities affected

East of England

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London & South East England

Brighton and Hove East Sussex Greater London Kent Medway Surrey West Sussex

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